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HOMOGENEOUS HEATING OF GLASS)
AND/OR GLASS-CERAMIC ARTICLES)
USING INFRARED RADIATION)

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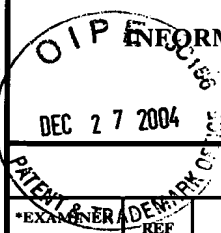
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